

SUNDAY 24th February

10.30am Mr Brian Waddingham (*All Age Worship*)

5.00pm Revds Chris & Margaret Jones (*Talking Together*)

The flowers this week have been given by Sue and Mike Curnow in remembrance of Tom and Dorothy Curnow and Bill and Ivy Abbott.

The Coffee Bar is open - Monday to Saturday from 10am to 12 noon.

TUESDAY 26th February

10.00am Toddler Group

WEDNESDAY 27th February

10.00am Midweek Prayers

10.30am Belletones

2.00pm Art Group

6.30pm Cubs

7.15pm Scouts

THURSDAY 28th February

6.15pm Brownies

FRIDAY 1st March

10.00am Toddler Group

5.30pm Rainbows

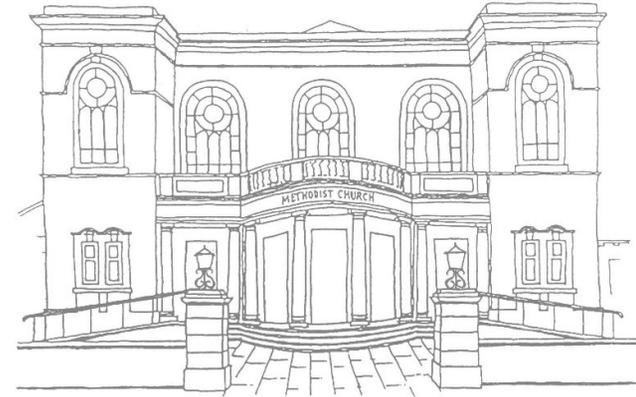
6.30pm Guides

7.00pm Rangers (fortnightly, check dates)

SUNDAY 3rd March

10.30am Mr Michael New (*All Age Worship*)

6.00pm Revd David Hookins (*Quiet Service*)



SALISBURY METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, 24th February 2019

Welcome to worship

Prayer for 10 minutes, 10.15 - 10.25am in Room 1, to pray for those taking part in the service. Do come and join us when you can.

Large print hymn books and sheets are available.

Loop system for those with hearing aids.

Small children are welcome to join our supervised crèche in Room 1. Toys are available in the welcome area for parents who wish to play with their children whilst listening to the service.

The candle prior to worship is a sign that we should keep a prayerful silence.

After morning service, please join us for refreshments in the Hall and visit the *Fairtrade* stall. *The 'Good News Book'* is available for use.

'**SMC at a Glance**' pamphlets have been printed, containing information about things that are happening at SMC during Lent, Easter, and after Easter. We would be very glad of some help with delivering to homes locally, so please let me know if you are able to help. Thank you, Margaret Rutt.

Today, 24th February, 5pm – Talking Together

Called to worship? Why and How? No answers, only questions to explore.

Friday, 1st March, 2.30pm – World Day of Prayer

At St. Francis Church, Castle Road.

This is a woman led, global, ecumenical movement to which all are invited - men, women and children. The service this year has been prepared by the women of Slovenia. Come and join this world-wide service of praise. (The "Beehive" Park and Ride bus stops in the vicinity of St. Francis church.)

Sunday, 3rd March

There will be no communion and no bacon butties today.

Tuesday, 5th March (Shrove Tuesday), 7pm - 9pm – 3 Churches Pancake and Quiz Evening

At the United Reformed Church, Fisherton Street.

Tickets available from Monica Gillings or Church Coffee Bar. Adults £3 and Children £1.

Wednesday, 6th March, 7pm – Ash Wednesday Service

At SMC.

Sunday, 9th March, 9am – Church Family Breakfasts during Lent

Come and share with us, either after early morning communion or before the morning service.

Tuesday, 12th March, 7.30pm – Tuesday Horizons

Reaching out through drama and through a play, *Consequences*, written by retired Methodist Minister, Warren Bardsley for the centenary of the Balfour Declaration of 2017. This play will be performed as a staged reading with The Revd Steve Hawkes producing and the remaining cast of three being made up of members of SMC.

Wednesday, 13th March, 2pm - 4.30pm – Movies with a Message

At Salisbury URC Hall

Week 1: *The Good Lie*

What is one to do? Orphaned by the brutal civil war in Sudan that began in 1983, 'The Lost Boys' travelled up to a thousand miles on foot in search of safety. Fifteen years later, a humanitarian effort brings 3600 of these young Sudanese to America. Sudanese actors, many of whom were also children

of war, star alongside Reese Witherspoon in this story of survival, defeat and triumph.

PG-13 (some violence, brief strong language and drug use)

Monday, 25th March, 10.30am – American Choir Concert

The title of the concert is *Enter the Journey of Faith*. The choir will sing a selection of American Folk Hymns. Please come and support. The concert is free with a retiring collection.

Lent Study Groups

David Hookins will lead two study groups this Lent which will include discussions. **The first one will be in the evening on Monday, 11th March and then repeated on the following Tuesday in the afternoon.** This pattern will be followed for the five weeks of Lent so that if you have to miss your usual session one week, you could catch up by attending the next day. The first week will look at the question 'What is God like?'.
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Alternatively, see the notice board for details of **Lenten events at St Thomas's and the URC.**

History of Salisbury Methodist Church

We have two booklets for sale, produced by the Heritage and Archive group.

The first is entitled *260 years of Methodist Heritage in Salisbury* and the second is *The Formation of Salisbury Methodist Church* as we know it today and the redevelopment of its historic premises in 1992. Both books come highly recommended and are on sale in the hall after the service. They are £4 each or 2 for £7.50.

Fairtrade Fortnight Bargains

There will be reductions on several different kinds of biscuits during the next two weeks.

Social Scene: Thanks to Bernard's interesting and challenging questions great fun was enjoyed by 7 teams at the Quiz Evening and Supper, with the added bonus that a profit of £121.80 was made.

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